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**FORM PTO-1082**  
**TRANSMITTAL FOR NEW U.S. PATENT APPLICATION**

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**BOX APPLICATIONS**

Re: New U.S. Patent Application  
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Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above, including 16 pages of textual specification including 22 claims and 2 sheets of drawings.

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 will be filed at a later date;  
 was filed in the parent application.

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[XX] Foreign priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 from the following:

United Kingdom Patent Application No. 0304457.5 filed February 27, 2003  
United Kingdom Patent Application No. 0323511.6 filed October 8, 2003

Priority document(s) will be submitted at a later date.  
 Priority document(s) is/are submitted herewith.

There is no claim to foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119.

[XX] Executed Declaration(s) is/are submitted herewith.

Executed Declaration(s) will be submitted at a later date pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.41 and § 1.53, with an appropriate surcharge under 37 CFR § 1.16(e).

[XX] Drawing(s) is/are attached.

Formal drawing(s) will be submitted at a later date.

An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and reference(s) cited therein is/are submitted.

[XX] Assignment document(s) is/are submitted herewith, along with Form PTO-1595; the recordation fee of \$40.00 per document is enclosed herewith.

[XX] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$ 932.00 for the filing of this application to Deposit Account No. 50-0501. Also, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 or 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0501. A duplicate copy of this form is attached

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[XX] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, *during the entire pendency of the present application*, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0501. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

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